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## Apostle Islands News Release

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### **New Campsite Created on Long Island**

A newly designated Apostle Islands NL campsite has been created on Long Island approximately ½ mile southeast of the light station on the northeast or Lake Superior side of Long Island. The campsite has separate cooking and tenting areas to minimize problems with bears and to make it a nicer place to camp. The eating area is close to the lake where campers can have a nice breeze and the tenting area is tucked in so that campers are protected from strong winds. There is a short trail that leads from the cooking area to the tenting area. The area for pitching tents is indicated by a post in the center of the tenting area. There is also a stump privy that is off of the trail to the tenting area.

Long Island is a special place. It is a barrier spit that has oak and pine forest, wetlands, abundant dunes, and miles of beach. It is also critical habitat for the endangered piping plover. Help us protect Long Island's plants and wildlife by avoiding walking on fragile dune plants and keeping your dog on a leash. Enjoy your stay.

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